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before the European War, its study throws a strong light upon the practices and contentions of today. The declared purpose of the author is to show how changes in war procedure have come about and to show the relative historical place of the great Congresses and Conferences, such as those of Paris, Geneva, and The Hague. Special attention is given to the provisions of the Second Peace Conference. Part One of this book is in the main historical. Part Two consists of commentary on the practice of war and the progressive steps in its development. Of this portion Chapters III-IX are devoted mainly to commentary on the Hague and Geneva Conventions. In the Conventions and Conferences to come, precedent will play a large part, and the average follower of these events will need at least a cursory knowledge of the matter of which this book treats so amply if he is to comprehend at all the difficulties that must be met and the steps that are possible for the arbitrators.

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